

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

The listing of claims below replaces all prior versions of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended): A curable resin composition

which comprises a polyoxyalkylene polymer (a) containing at least one reactive silyl group in each molecule, 5 to 50 parts by weight of a hydrocarbon-based plasticizer (b) per 100 parts by weight of (a) and 10 to 200 parts by weight of a needle crystal filler (c) on the same basis,

wherein the needle crystal filler (c) is selected from the group consisting of sepiolite, wollastonite and a needle crystal-type calcium carbonate.

2. (Original): The curable resin composition according to Claim 1

which contains 20 to 40 parts by weight of the hydrocarbon-based plasticizer (b) per 100 parts by weight of the polyoxyalkylene polymer (a) containing at least one reactive silyl group in each molecule.

3. (Previously Presented): The curable resin composition according to Claim 1

wherein the hydrocarbon-based plasticizer (b) is a paraffin-based hydrocarbon.

4. (Original): The curable resin composition according to Claim 3

wherein the hydrocarbon-based plasticizer (b) is a cycloparaffin-based hydrocarbon or an

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isoparaffin-based hydrocarbon.

5. (Cancelled).

6. (Currently Amended): The curable resin composition according to Claim [[5]] 1  
wherein the needle crystal filler (c) is a needle crystal-type calcium carbonate.

7. (Previously Presented): The curable resin composition according to claim 1  
wherein the reactive silyl group of the polyoxyalkylene polymer (a) containing at least  
one reactive silyl group in each molecule is an alkoxysilyl group.

8. (Previously Presented): The curable resin composition according to claim 1  
wherein the extrudability thereof is not less than 200 g/minute and the initial fixability  
thereof is not less than 180 g.

9. (New): The curable resin composition according to Claim 1  
wherein the needle crystal filler (c) has the aspect ratio (length of the particle/diameter of  
the particle) of not less than 2.5.

10. (New): The curable resin composition according to Claim 1

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which contains 30 to 100 parts by weight of the needle crystal filler (c) per 100 parts by weight of the polyoxyalkylene polymer (a).

11. (New): The curable resin composition according to Claim 1

wherein the hydrocarbon-based plasticizer (b) is a cycloparaffin-based hydrocarbon.